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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL COMPOSITION,	)	
DEVICE AND APPARATUS	:	December 31, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
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THRID INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

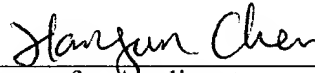
The listed document, U.S. Patent No. 6,497,928, was issued from U.S. Application No. 09/571,412. A copy of the application was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 28, 2001.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

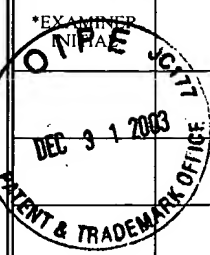


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